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General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

Informal interactive hearings as preparatory process for the High-level meeting of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly, to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples[1] [webcast]

Welcome ceremony and Opening remarks

10:00 — General Assembly Hall (NLB)

Interactive discussion 1 "Implementation of the rights of Indigenous Peoples"

10:40 — General Assembly Hall (NLB)

Interactive discussion 2 "Indigenous peoples' lands, territories, resources, oceans and waters"

15:00 — General Assembly Hall (NLB)

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[1]Two letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 13 June 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Security Council

10:00 — 7198th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

Morning[1] — 7199th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

15:00 — 7200th meeting (closed) — Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda

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[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7198th meeting.

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Closing segment – Day 1 "Conference Outcome Document"

17:30 General Assembly Hall (NLB)

2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

16:00 7201st meeting (closed) Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali

General Assembly

Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial countries and Peoples
Resumed session

10:00 to 13:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to study issues relating to the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity beyond areas of national jurisdiction

10:00 to 13:00 3rd meeting Conference Room 1 (CB)

15:00 to 18:00 4th meeting Conference Room 1 (CB)

Consideration, in order to prepare for the decision to be taken at the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly, of the scope, parameters and feasibility of an international instrument under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, within the mandate established by the Assembly in its resolution 66/231 and in the light of resolution 67/78, with a view to making recommendations to the Assembly [item 5] *(continued)*

[To consult the list of side events scheduled to be held during the Meeting, please *click here*.]

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals
Twelfth session

09:00 to 09:45		Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)
	Informal meeting, convened by the Co-chairs of the Open Working Group, with representatives of major groups and other stakeholders [webcast]	
10:00 to 13:00	Informal meeting (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)
15:00	Informal meeting (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)
	Consideration of the zero draft	

[The agenda of the Open Working Group, adopted on 14 March 2013, is contained in document A/AC.280/2013/1. For further information, including the zero draft of the proposed sustainable development goals and targets, please *click here*.]

Fifth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

10:00 to 13:00	3rd meeting	Conference Room 3 (CB)
15:00 to 18:00	4th meeting	Conference Room 3 (CB)
	Consideration of the implementation of the International Instrument to Enable States to Identify and Trace, in a Timely and Reliable Manner, Illicit Small Arms and Light Weapons [item 7] (A/CONF.192/BMS/2014/WP/1 and A/CONF/192/BMS/2014/1)	

[Further information can be found on the meeting website *(click here)*. To consult the list of side events please *click here*.

There will be a time limit for statements, *three minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *five minutes* for those speaking on behalf of a group of countries. There will be no advance list of speakers.

Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary Mr. Kenji Nakano (e-mail leu@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

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Committee on Contributions
Seventy-fourth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8 (NLB)

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (CB)

1. Information and Communications Technology Division
2. Executive meeting

United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Executive Board
Annual session 2014

10:00 to 13:00	1st meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2 (CB)
15:00 to 18:00	2nd meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 2 (CB)

1. Organizational matters
2. Strategic plan
3. Evaluation
4. Pledging event
5. Audit matters
6. Joint field visits
7. Other matters

[The annotated provisional agenda and work plan for the session are contained in document UNW/2014/L.3. Documentation may be accessed on the UN-Women Executive Board website. Member States, observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead), as well as any requests to be on the speakers list (e-mail rocio.torres@unwomen.org).

The upcoming annual session will be PaperSmart as usual. All official documentation will be available on the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal and will not be distributed by conference services during the session. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements by e-mail to the PaperSmart Secretariat (e-mail papersmart.eb@unwomen.org), at least two hours in advance of their speaking slot. The statements will be distributed electronically via the PaperSmart Portal at the time of delivery, and will be under embargo until then. Delegations are kindly requested to provide 15 hard copies of official statements for interpretation and other services.

Delegations are encouraged to carry their laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices to be able to access the official documents and statements from the Executive Board PaperSmart Portal.]

Economic and Social Council

Committee for Programme and Coordination
Fifty-fourth session

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
	Programme questions [item 3]	

(b) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 9: United Nations support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development (A/69/6 (Prog. 9))

Coordination questions [item 4]

(b) New Partnership for Africa's Development

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations system support of the New Partnership for Africa's Development (E/AC.51/2014/3)

15:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Programme questions [item 3]

(b) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2016-2017

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 11: Environment (A/69/6 (Prog. 11))

Programme 2: Political affairs (A/69/6 (Prog. 2))

Economic and Social Council

2014 session
Informal consultations

The Presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Austria) will convene informal consultations *today*, 17 June 2014, at 13:15, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, on the draft ministerial declaration of the high-level political forum on sustainable development for 2014, convened under the auspices of the Council, and the high-level segment of the 2014 session of the Council. All States Members of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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Informal consultations on the draft resolution "Strengthening the role of mediation in conflict prevention and resolution: regional and subregional organizations" (under agenda item 33 (b)) (convened by the Permanent Missions of Turkey and Finland, on behalf of the Group of Friends of Mediation)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in the Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222).

Other meetings

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Arab Group (First Committee experts)

09:00 to 09:45	Closed meeting	Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

09:00 to 10:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9 (CB)
13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9 (CB)

Other activities

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Panel discussion on "Post-2015 agenda: How can the new framework best address rising inequality and the threat of climate change?" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Bangladesh, Brazil and France and by OXFAM)

From 08:00 to 09:30, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. David Taylor (e-mail dtaylor@oxfam.org.uk).]

Panel discussion on "Justice and Legal Empowerment for Sustainable Development" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Denmark and by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Shaima Hussein, UNDP (e-mail shaima.hussein@undp.org; tel. 1 (212) 552-4484).]

Special event entitled "International Year of the Family 2014 and Global Day of Parents" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Grenada to the United Nations and the Universal Peace Federation)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For Further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Grenada (tel. 1 (212) 599-0301); or the Universal Peace Federation (tel. 1 (212) 588-1802).]

Panel discussion on "Doing justice to sustainable development. Integrating the rule of law into the post-2015 agenda" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Finland and the United Republic of Tanzania and by the International Development Law Organization (IDLO)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 5 (NLB). [webcast]

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Judit Arenas, IDLO (e-mail jarenas@idlo.int; tel. 1 (646) 561-4357).]

Panel discussion on "Implementation of the Security Council Resolution 2151 (2014) – Security Sector Reform and the Maintenance of International Peace and Security" (co-organized by the Group of Friends on Security Sector Reform and the Permanent Missions of Nigeria, Slovakia and South Africa)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Slovakia (Mr. Igor Vencel (e-mail igor.vencel@mzv.sk); or Ms. Klaudia Bederková (e-mail bederkovaklaudia@gmail.com)).]

Special event entitled "A child-friendly, quality, free and compulsory education for African Children" (co-organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union, the Permanent Mission of Zambia, United Nations African Mothers Association and Friends of Education for African Children Orphaned by AIDS)

From 15:00 à 18:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mrs. Oumou Daou, Permanent Observer Mission of African Union (e-mail oumoudaou@gmail.com).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

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Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest:* Ms. Kyung-wha Kang, Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator (on Myanmar)]

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The Main Committees will hold their consecutive meetings for the purpose of electing their Chairs at the sixty-ninth session (agenda item 5) and their respective Bureaux, on Wednesday, 18 June 2014, at 15:00, in the General Assembly Hall (NLB). The Chairs of regional groups who have not yet communicated their nominations are requested to do so, *as soon as possible*, in order to facilitate the scheduled elections in a timely manner. Communications should be sent by e-mail to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (muturi@un.org) or sent by fax to (1 (212) 963-3783). Telephone inquiries may be addressed to the focal point, Ms. Mary Muturi (tel. 1 (212) 963-2337). An updated list of candidates can be found on the CandiWeb *(click here)*.

Fourth High-level Stakeholders meeting of the Peacebuilding Fund

The fourth High-level Stakeholders meeting of the Peacebuilding Fund will be held on Tuesday, 24 June 2014, from 09:30 to 13:00, in Trusteeship Council Chamber. His Excellency Jan Eliasson, Deputy Secretary-General; His Excellency Kalifa Gassama Diaby, Minister of Human Rights of the Republic of Guinea; Mr. Jan Knutsson, Chair of the Peacebuilding Fund Advisory Group and Ms. Judy Cheng-Hopkins; Assistant Secretary-General for Peacebuilding Support, will address the meeting. For further information, please contact Mr. Patrice Chiwota, Peacebuilding Support Office (e-mail chiwota@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2922).

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 18 June 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal interactive hearings as preparatory process for the High-level meeting of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly, to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples[1]

Interactive discussion 3 "Indigenous priorities for sustainable development"

10:00 General Assembly Hall (NLB)

Closing segment – Day 2 "Conference Outcome Document"

12:00 General Assembly Hall (NLB)

[1]Two letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 13 June 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Wednesday, 18 June 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Thematic debate "Responding to the opportunities and challenges of the 21st Century: Human Security and the post-2015 development agenda"[1]

Opening

Statements by the President of the General Assembly and the Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations

15:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Interactive discussion "Human security – experiences at national, regional and international levels"

15:30 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Closing segment

17:45 Trusteeship Council Chamber

[1]Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 28 April 2014 and 16 June 2014, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*.

Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org, tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the

agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences
Organizational session for 2014

The organizational session for 2014 will be reconvened on Friday, 20 June 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 8 (NLB) to elect two officers of the Bureau and to consider a revision to the annotated provisional agenda for the substantive session of 2014 (item 8 "Adoption of the report"), contained in the annex to document A/AC.172/2014/L.1*.

The session will be PaperSmart. Official documentation of the session will be available electronically via the PaperSmart Portal in all official languages.

In accordance with the procedure established by the Committee on Conferences at its 423rd meeting, on 1 September 1999, as reflected in paragraphs 172 to 175 of document A/54/32, and amended in paragraph 10 of document A/56/32, non-members who wish to participate as observers in the organizational session are invited to send a request in writing to Ms. Liya Zhang, Secretary of the Committee on Conferences (e-mail zhangl@un.org).

Preparatory Committee for the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States
Final meeting

The Preparatory Committee for the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States will meet from Monday, 23 to Friday, 27 June 2014, in Conference Room 3 (CB), to finalize the preparatory work for the Conference, including the outcome document of the Conference, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/238. The annotated provisional agenda of the Preparatory Committee is contained in document A/CONF.223/PC/1.

List of participants

The meeting is open to all States Members of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies, as well as to other participants, in accordance with the rules of

procedure of the functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council, the supplementary arrangements established by the Council in its decisions 1993/215 of 12 February 1993 and 1995/201 of 8 February 1995, and as indicated in paragraphs 17 and 18 of General Assembly resolution 67/207.

Delegations who wish to attend the meeting of the Preparatory Committee are kindly requested to communicate, *as soon as possible*, the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Preparatory Committee, Mr. Kenji Nakano (c/o Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail duap@un.org; room S-1285; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Additional information on the Preparatory Committee is available from the Conference website: www.sids2014.org.

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Eighth session
First annual session

The Peacebuilding Commission will hold its first annual session on Monday, 23 June 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. Member States are invited to consult the Commission's website, for more information about the guidelines for participation and for the programme of the event and background documentation. Member states are reminded that access to the morning and/or afternoon working sessions will be allowed only to participants in possession of a special pass for the meeting in question. Access passes will be granted *only* to those Member States who pre-registered for the morning or afternoon working session and in accordance with the guidelines for participation *(click here)*. Delegates are invited to pick up the access passes *today*, 17, and Wednesday, 18 June 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Room S-3062 (c/o Mr. Martin Vrastiak, e-mail vrastiak@un.org).

Economic and Social Council

2014 session

Informal event to discuss the transition from relief to development (23 June (morning))

An interactive panel discussion to discuss the transition from relief to development (Council decision 2014/215) will be held on Monday, 23 June 2014, in the morning, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB) and will be open to all interested participants. The event will be chaired by the Vice-Presidents of the Council, His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi (Libya) and His Excellency Carlos Enrique García González (El Salvador). There will be no established list of speakers.

Humanitarian affairs segment (23-24 June 2014)

[Item 7 of the provisional agenda]

The 2014 humanitarian affairs segment, chaired by the Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi (Libya), will be held from Monday, 23 to Wednesday, 25 June 2014, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB). The opening session will take place on Monday, 23 June 2014, at 15:00.

General discussion and list of speakers

The general discussion on agenda item 7 of the provisional agenda, as contained in document E/2014/1/Rev.1, will be held on Monday, 23 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, and on Wednesday, 25 June, from 15:00 to 16:15. Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be sent, in writing, with the full name and title of the speaker, to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Mary Constable (e-mail constablem@un.org; room S-1275, fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Inscriptions to the list of speakers *will close by 17:00* of the preceding day.

The time limit set for statements under the segment is *seven minutes* for speakers on behalf of groups and *five minutes* for individual delegations.

The tentative programme of the segment is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council *(click here)*. The calendar of side events will be available soon. For additional information, please contact Mr. Guillaume Fardel, Policy Development Studies Branch, Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (e-mail fardel@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4814).

List of participants

Delegations are kindly requested to send the names of the representatives and alternates attending the humanitarian affairs segment to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are advised that only one list of participants will be issued at the end of the 2014 session, containing the names of the participants to all segments.

PaperSmart arrangements for the 2014 session of the Council

Delegates are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the 2014 session of the Economic and Social Council. To access the Council's PaperSmart portal, please *click here*.

High-level segment week (7-11 July 2014)

The high-level segment of the 2014 session of the Economic and Social Council, including the three-day ministerial meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council, the annual ministerial review and the Development Cooperation Forum will be held from Monday, 7 July, to Friday, 11 July 2014. The high-level segment will open on Monday, 7 July, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The theme for the 2014 session of the Council is "Addressing ongoing and emerging challenges for meeting the Millennium Development Goals in 2015 and for sustaining development gains in the future".

For additional information, please consult the website of the Council *(click here)* or contact Mr. Neil Pierre, Chief, Policy Coordination Branch, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination (e-mail pierre52@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0157).

General debate

A general debate will be held on Monday, 7 July 2014, from 15:00 to 21:00 and on Tuesday, 8 July 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00. It will focus on the theme for the 2014 session of the Council and the theme for the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council.

The list of speakers for the general debate is now open for inscription. All States Members of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies are invited to inscribe. Inscriptions to the list of speakers will close by *17:00, on Thursday, 3 July 2014*.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Isabel Alejandrino (e-mail alejandrino@un.org, room S-1282; fax 1 (212) 963-5935), indicating the name and the level of the participant. The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the general debate should not exceed *five minutes* when speaking in a national capacity, and *seven minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

High-level political forum on sustainable development for 2014, convened under the auspices of the Council (30 June-9 July 2014)

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 67/290 and Economic and Social Council decision 2014/202, the President of the Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), will convene the high-level political forum on sustainable development, under the auspices of the Council, from Monday, 30 June, to Wednesday, 9 July 2014. The forum, open to all States Members of the United Nations and States members of specialized agencies, will start on Monday, 30 June, at 10:00, and its meetings will be held in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The three-day ministerial meeting of the forum, as part of the high-level segment of the Council, is scheduled from Monday, 7 July, to Wednesday, 9 July 2014.

Pursuant to Economic and Social Council decision 2014/208, the theme for the forum for 2014 is "Achieving the Millennium Development Goals and charting the way for an ambitious post-2015 development agenda, including the sustainable development goals".

For additional information, please consult the website of the forum *(click here)* or contact Ms. Ling Wang, Division for Sustainable Development (e-mail wang24@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0727).

List of participants

Please note that there will be only one list of participants that will incorporate the names of participants for both the meetings of the high-level segment of the Economic and Social Council and the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council. Delegations are kindly requested to send the names of representatives and alternates attending these meetings to the Secretary of the Council, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org, room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935), with a copy to the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination (Mr. Neil Pierre, Chief, Policy Coordination Branch, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination (e-mail pierre52@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0157)) and to the Division for Sustainable Development (Ms. Ling Wang

(e-mail wang24@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-4260). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

PaperSmart arrangements

PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for both the meetings of the high-level segment of the Economic and Social Council and the high-level political forum on sustainable development, convened under the auspices of the Council. To access the Council's PaperSmart portal, please *click here*.

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Forthcoming other meetings

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OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Wednesday, 18 June 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly

Wednesday, 18 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 8 (NLB).

International Criminal Court: Working Group on Amendments

Tuesday, 24 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing on "The humanitarian situation in Colombia and Myanmar" (by the Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator) (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA))

Wednesday, 18 June 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Laura Rodriguez, OCHA (e-mail rodriguez14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2770).]

Panel discussion on "Integrated regional approaches to crime and security: The Caribbean experience" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of CARICOM Member States and by the Permanent Mission of New Zealand)

Wednesday, 18 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Anthony Simpson, Permanent Mission of New Zealand (e-mail anthony.simpson@mfat.govt.nz; tel. 1 (917) 837-2814).]

Panel discussion on "Towards a land degradation neutral world: Soil and land targets in the post-2015 framework" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Namibia and by the Group of Friends of Desertification, Land Degradation and Drought)

Wednesday, 18 June 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. To register and for further information, please contact Mr. Vasco Samupofu, Permanent Mission of Namibia (tel. 1 (212) 685-2003).]

Open meeting of the Group of Friends of the Alliance of Civilizations (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

Thursday, 26 June 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB).

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Malika Pulatova, UNAOC (e-mail malikap@unops.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1751).]

Announcements

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses *(click here)*.

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014*, to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the Regional Courses in International Law (New Zealand), for Africa (China), and for Asia-Pacific (China and Saudi Arabia).

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and nongovernmental organizations, private institutions and individuals. A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Credentials for forthcoming elections of members of human rights treaty bodies

With a view to facilitating the timely submission of credentials for all meetings of States parties convened to elect members of human rights treaty bodies, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights wishes to give all states parties to the international human rights treaties advance notice that the following meetings of states parties will take place in 2014:

Thirty-fourth meeting of States Parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (24 June 2014): election to replace nine members of the Human Rights Committee whose terms expire on 31 December 2014, and extraordinary election to replace one Member of the Committee who resigned (*click here* for general information);

Fifteenth meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child (25 June 2014): election to replace nine members of the Committee on the Rights of the Child whose terms expire on 28 February 2015 (*click here* for general information); and

Eighteenth meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (26 June 2014): election to replace twelve members of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women whose terms expire on 31 December 2014 (*click here* for general information).

The rules of procedure of each meeting require delegations to submit credentials to the Secretary-General *prior to the meeting*. Many delegations fail to provide such credentials in time and the Secretariat continues to receive obsolete credentials many months after the meetings have concluded. All States Parties are kindly requested to put in place the necessary arrangements to ensure that credentials for each of these meetings are submitted *no later than one week before* the meeting in question.

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of members of the delegation must be issued by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

Original copies of credentials and names of delegates, duly signed by the head of state or government or foreign minister, for all other meetings should be submitted to the New York Office of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (Attn. Mr. Nenad Vasić (e-mail vasic@un.org; room S-1309)).

Details on the procedures for the nomination of candidates for each of these elections will be communicated to States parties via notes verbales from OHCHR Geneva.

For any clarifications on these elections, please see Candiweb, consult OHCHR's guide on treaty body elections *(click here)*, or contact Mr. James Turpin, OHCHR (e-mail turpin@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3292).

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, in room DC2-1142 (or otherwise indicated), for the month of *June*:

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Overview of Dag Hammarskjold Library resources and databases

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All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (http://www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 11 June 2014

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

170th-171st meetings — The summary of the 170th and 171st meetings of the Meeting of State Parties of the United Nations convention on the Law of the Sea will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2014/116).

Thursday, 12 June 2014

General Assembly

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

172nd-173rd meetings — The summary of the 172nd and 173rd meetings of the Meeting of State Parties of the United Nations convention on the Law of the Sea will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2014/116).

Friday, 13 June 2014

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twenty-fourth Meeting

174th-175th meetings — The summaries of the 174th and 175th meetings of the Meeting of State Parties of the United Nations convention on the Law of the Sea will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2014/116).

Monday, 16 June 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7197th meeting — *The situation in Côte d'Ivoire*

Thirty-fourth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2014/342)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative Côte d'Ivoire to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Aïchatou Mindaoudou, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Ms. Aïchatou Mindaoudou.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Côte d'Ivoire.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

[archived video]

98th plenary meeting — *Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/68/426/Add.1)* [item 53]

The Rapporteur of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) introduced the report of the Committee on agenda item 53.

Under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) which was before the Assembly.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/68/426/Add.1) (resolution 68/277).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 53.

Causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa: draft resolution (A/68/L.43/Rev.1) [item 63 (b)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 63.

The representative of Uganda (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) made a statement, in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/68/L.43/Rev.1.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/68/L.43/Rev.1 (resolution 68/278).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 63.

Approval of the appointment of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights: note by the Secretary-General (A/68/904) [item 116 (i)]

The General Assembly, on the proposal of the Secretary-General, appointed Prince Zeid Ra'ad Zeid Al-Hussein (Jordan) as United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights for a term of office of four years beginning on 1 September 2014 and expiring on 31 August 2018.

Statements were made by the representatives of Liberia (on behalf of the African States), the United Arab Emirates (on behalf of the Asia-Pacific States), Cuba (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), the United Kingdom (on behalf of the Western European and other States), the European Union, Switzerland and Jordan.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (i) of agenda item 116 and agenda item 116 as a whole.

General Assembly

Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial countries and Peoples

Resumed session

3rd meeting

Adoption of the agenda [item 1]

The Special Committee adopted the agenda of the meeting.

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to the programme of work, as contained in document A/AC.109/2014/L.2.

The Chair reminded the Special Committee that the delegations of Argentina, Brazil, Costa Rica, Ghana, Guatemala, Italy, Jamaica, Montenegro, the Solomon Islands, Spain, Suriname, Turkey, Uganda and Uruguay had requested to participate in the Special Committee. The Committee acceded to those requests.

The Chair also informed the Special Committee that the delegations of Mexico and Panama had requested to participate in the Special Committee. The Committee also acceded to those requests.

Requests for hearing [item 2]

The Chair drew attention to communications containing requests for hearing, circulated in aide-mémoires 01/14, 02/14, 03/14, 04/14, 05/14 and 06/14, regarding the Special Committee decision of 17 June 2013 concerning Puerto Rico and the Questions of Gibraltar, Western Sahara, the Falkland Islands (Malvinas) (a dispute exists between the Governments of Argentina and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern

Ireland concerning sovereignty over the Falkland Islands (Malvinas)), French Polynesia and New Caledonia. The Committee decided to accede to those requests.

Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations [item 3]

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to the report of the Secretary General (A/69/69), which contained information transmitted under Article 73 *e* of the Charter of the United Nations by the administering Powers with regard to the Territories under their respective administration, as well as to draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.3.

The Special Committee adopted draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.3, without a vote.

The Special Committee thus concluded consideration of the item.

Dissemination of information on decolonization [item 4]

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to the report of the Secretary-General on the dissemination of information on decolonization (A/AC.109/2014/18).

A representative of the Department of Public Information briefed the Committee on the activities undertaken by the Department in the past year with regard to the dissemination of information in the field of decolonization.

A representative of the Department of Political Affairs reviewed the activities of the Department in the field of dissemination of information on decolonization over the past year.

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba and Sierra Leone.

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.4.

The Special Committee adopted draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.4, without a vote.

The Special Committee thus concluded consideration of the item.

Question of sending visiting missions to Territories [item 5]

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.5.

The Special Committee adopted draft resolution A/AC.109/2014/L.5, without a vote, as orally amended.

The Special Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Question of Western Sahara [item 6]

The Chair drew attention to a working paper prepared by the Secretariat, contained in document A/AC.109/2014/1.

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba and Ecuador.

In accordance with the decision taken at the outset of the meeting, a statement was made by the representative of Frente Polisario.

On the proposal of the Chair, the Special Committee decided to continue its consideration of the "Question of Western Sahara" at its next session, subject to any directives which the General Assembly might give in that connection at its sixty-ninth session, and to transmit to the Assembly all the related documentation, so as to facilitate the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)'s consideration of the question.

The Special Committee thus concluded consideration of the item.

Question of Gibraltar [item 7]

The Chair drew attention to a working paper prepared by the Secretariat, contained in document A/AC.109/2014/12.

The Chair informed the Special Committee that the delegation of Spain had requested to participate in the Committee's consideration of the item. The Special Committee decided to accede to the request.

The representative of Gibraltar, Chief Minister of Gibraltar, made a statement.

In accordance with the decision taken at the outset of the meeting, a statement was made by the representative of Spain.

A representative of the Self-Determination for Gibraltar Group made a statement.

On the proposal of the Chair, the Special Committee decided to continue its consideration of the "Question of Gibraltar" at its next session, subject to any directives which the General Assembly might give in that connection at its sixty-ninth session, and to transmit to the Assembly all the related documentation, so as to facilitate the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)'s consideration of the question.

The Special Committee thus concluded consideration of the item.

Other matters [item 8]

The Chair made a statement.

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals
Twelfth session

1st meeting

The Co-Chair, His Excellency Macharia Kamau (Kenya), opened the twelfth session of the Open Working Group and made a statement.

Follow-up to the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, relating to a proposal for sustainable development goals [item 3]

The Co-Chair, His Excellency Csaba Kőrösi (Hungary), made a statement.

Discussion on the proposed sustainable development goals and targets

The Open Working Group held a discussion with Member States and heard statements by the representatives of Germany (also on behalf of France and Switzerland), Belarus, Argentina (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the European Union, Benin (on behalf of the Least Developed Countries) and Nauru (on behalf of the Alliance of Small Island States).

Organization of work

The Co-Chair (Kenya) made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil (also on behalf of Nicaragua), Ireland (also on behalf of Denmark and Norway), Argentina (also on behalf of Ecuador and the Plurinational State of Bolivia), the Russian Federation, Egypt, Colombia (also on behalf of Guatemala), Palau (also on behalf of Nauru and Papua New Guinea), Germany (also on behalf of France and Switzerland), Benin, Viet Nam (also on behalf of Bhutan and Thailand), Barbados (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Turkey (also on behalf of Italy and Spain), Peru (also on behalf of Mexico), Ethiopia, Zambia, China, Sweden, Indonesia and Saudi Arabia.

A statement was made by the Co-Chair (Kenya).

Fifth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

1st meeting

Opening of the meeting by the High Representative for Disarmament Affairs [item 1]

The Deputy to the High Representative for Disarmament Affairs opened the Fifth Biennial Meeting and made a statement on behalf of the High Representative.

Election of the Chair [item 2]

The Meeting elected His Excellency Zahir Tanin (Afghanistan) as Chair, by acclamation.

Statement of the Chair [item 3]

The Chair made a statement.

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 4]

The Meeting adopted its agenda, as contained in document A/CONF.192/BMS/2014/L.1.

Rules of procedure

The Meeting decided to apply the rules of procedure of the 2001 United Nations Conference on the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects (A/CONF.192/L.1), *mutatis mutandis*.

Organization of work

The Meeting adopted the programme of work, as contained in document A/CONF.192/BMS/2014/L.2.

The Meeting approved participation of non-governmental organizations, as listed in document A/CONF.192/BMS/2014/INF/1.

Election of other officers of the meeting [item 5]

The Meeting elected the following countries as Vice-Chairs: Algeria, Argentina, Colombia, the Czech Republic, Germany, Guatemala, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Liberia, Morocco, New Zealand, Pakistan, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova and Romania.

Consideration of the implementation of the Programme of Action in all its aspects at the national, regional and global levels, including stockpile management, including physical security measures of small arms and light weapons [item 6]

The representative of the United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs made a statement, in the course of which he presented a factual summary of national reports received on the Programme of Action and the International Tracing Instrument.

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Iceland and Serbia; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina; the EFTA country Norway, member of the European Economic Area; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia that aligned themselves with this statement), Jamaica (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Qatar (on behalf of the Arab Group), Japan, Pakistan, China, South Africa, Iraq, Argentina, Saudi Arabia, Cuba, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Cabo Verde, Colombia, Guatemala, the Republic of Korea, Trinidad and

Tobago, Spain, India, Costa Rica, Kazakhstan, Thailand, Brazil, France, Egypt, the Russian Federation, the Dominican Republic and Nigeria.

The Secretary made an announcement.

2nd meeting

Consideration of the implementation of the Programme of Action in all its aspects at the national, regional and global levels, including stockpile management, including physical security measures of small arms and light weapons [item 6]

The Meeting continued its consideration of this agenda item and heard statements by the representatives of the Republic of Moldova (on behalf of the Chairmanship of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) Forum for Security Co-operation), Mexico, Australia, Malaysia, the Netherlands, Israel, the United Kingdom, Switzerland, Belarus, Canada, the United States, Mali, Benin, Nicaragua and Austria, as well as by the observer for the State of Palestine.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Agreement concerning the Adoption of Uniform Technical Prescriptions for Wheeled Vehicles, Equipment and Parts which can be fitted and/or be used on Wheeled Vehicles and the Conditions for Reciprocal Recognition of Approvals Granted on the Basis of these Prescriptions, Geneva, 20 March 1958

Notification of disagreement with draft regulation "*Uniform provisions concerning the approval of motor vehicles with regard to their reusability, recyclability and recoverability*": Australia (16 June 2014)

Notification of disagreement with draft regulation "*Uniform provisions concerning the approval of Retrofit Emission Control Devices (REC) for heavy duty vehicles, agricultural and forestry tractors and non-road mobile machinery equipped with compression ignition engines*": Australia (16 June 2014)

Arms Trade Treaty, New York, 2 April 2013

Ratification: Sweden (16 June 2014)

Provisional application under article 23: Sweden (16 June 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *June 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Liberia
Her Excellency Marjon Kamara

Asia-Pacific States:
United Arab Emirates
Her Excellency Lana Zaki Nusseibeh

Eastern European States:
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Her Excellency Mirsada Čolaković

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Cuba
His Excellency Rodolfo Reyes Rodriguez

Western European and other States:
United Kingdom
His Excellency Sir Mark Lyall Grant

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

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Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

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Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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A/68/902	Items 42 and 76 — Question of Cyprus — Oceans and the law of the sea — Letter dated 30 May 2014 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
	Sixty-ninth session
A/69/87–E/2014/80	Item 107 of the preliminary list — International drug control — Economic and Social Council — Substantive session of 2014 — Outcome of the high-level review by the Commission on Narcotic Drugs at its fifty-seventh session of the implementation by Member States of the Political Declaration and Plan of Action on International Cooperation towards an Integrated and Balanced Strategy to Counter the World Drug Problem — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *21 pages*
A/69/88	Item 106 of the preliminary list — Crime prevention and criminal justice — Crime prevention and criminal justice — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
A/69/100	Annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *226 pages*
A/CONF.223/PC/4	Item 2 — Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters — Letter dated 16 May 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Argentina to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General of the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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A/68/894–S/2014/383 Letter dated 26 May 2014 from the Charge d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Armenia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *11 pages*

S/2014/405 Report of the Secretary-General concerning the credentials of the alternate representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

Economic and Social Council

Documents

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